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**NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT**

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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

(C)

**PROHIBITION OF STRIKES BY THE EMPLOYEES OF HYDERABAD METRO WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD.**

*[G.O.Rt. No. 10, Municipal Administration and Urban Development (C), 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2014.]*

Whereas, the services connected with the affairs of the State in relation to the maintenance of water supply and distribution thereof is an essential service as defined in Section 2(1) (a) (i) of the Andhra Pradesh Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1971 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.20 of 1971).

And whereas, the Government have prohibited strikes in Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Works & Sewerage Board for a period of six months vide notification issued in G.O.Rt. No. 453, M.A. &U.D. (C) Department, dated : 28.03.2014 with effect from 28.09.2013. The said period of six months expires on 28.09.2014.

And whereas, the Government are satisfied in public interest that it is necessary and expedient to prohibit strikes in the Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board for a further period of six months.

Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 3 of the Andhra Pradesh Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1971 (Andhra Pradesh Act No. 20 of 1971), the Government of Telangana hereby prohibits strikes in all services connected with the maintenance of Water Supply and distribution in the Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board for a further period of six months with effect from 29.09.2014.

The Managing Director, Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Supply & Sewerage Board, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

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*Principal Secretary to Government.*